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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Majed M. Al Hamrani

Serial No.: 10/601,603

Filed: June 23, 2003

Title: REACTIVE POWER OPTIMIZATION  
WITH ADAPTIVE EXCITATION CONTROL

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Group Art Unit: 2857

Examiner: UNASSIGNED

Docket No.: 004159.003008

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

As a preliminary amendment, please enter the following amendments to the claims as follows: